

# Outstanding Individuals Recognized at September ASA (IE&E) Town Hall

Several awards were presented at the ASA (IE&E) Town Hall Sept. 19, 2013, to recognize outstanding individuals within the organization. The following individuals were recognized at the town hall and presented with awards by Hon. Katherine Hammack:



- Mr. Fred D. Young received the Department of Army Certificate of Promotion to signify his promotion to the rank of GS-15.
- Ms. JoAnn Ginsberg received the Superior Civilian Service Award for her exceptionally meritorious service as Executive Assistant to the Commander, Trans-Atlantic North, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), in support of Operation Enduring Freedom from Feb. 12 – Apr. 20, 2013.
- Ms. Lauren Bregman received a certificate for services in the Office of the Secretary of the Army authorizing her to wear the Army Staff Identification Badge.
- Mr. Anthony Kelly received a certificate and service pin in recognition of his 35 years of faithful service to the federal government.
- Mr. Jae Kim received a certificate and service pin in recognition of his 25 years of faithful service to the federal government.

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As part of an Academic Individual Advanced Development (AIAD) experience, two cadets traveled from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point to the Pentagon this summer to intern in ASA (IE&E). Myself and Cadet Erin Mauldin are both members of the West Point Class of 2014. Having both completed all of our graduation requirements we came to the Pentagon voluntarily with the intention of learning about how the Pentagon operates and the Army's energy and sustainability efforts.

Both Cadet Mauldin and I are very interested in energy and sustainability, as we have both been involved with the Energy and Environment Chain of Command at the Academy. The Chain of Command has only existed for two academic years, so we hope to take our experiences at the Pentagon back to West Point to improve our program and help other cadets understand its relevance to Army operations.

In addition to learning about ASA



(IE&E), I have been working in the Operational Energy Office to help develop metrics for proposed new subtasks of Major Objective 8-2 in the Army Campaign Plan. Mr. Nate Cornell and Lt. Col. Sparks of G4 have been essential to familiarizing me with the material and guiding me through this process. While my involvement was limited, it has been an awesome experience to assist, as few cadets are given an opportunity to have influence on anything outside of our Chain of Command's responsibilities.

As my time at the Pentagon comes to a close, I want to thank everyone I have met over the last few weeks. Your insight and advice has been very informative and helpful to my development. I feel better prepared for my final year at West Point, my branching decision, and time as a young officer. I hope that future cadets who come to the Pentagon will enjoy their experience as much as I have.

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